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THE VERY REVEREND  
SAMUEL CHARLES MAZZUCHELLI

Order of Preachers

1806-1864



The nineteen hundred forty-six issue of the SHIELD is dedicated in affectionate salute to the Very Reverend Samuel Charles Mazzuchelli, O.P., pioneer priest and remote founder of Rosary College.

Father Mazzuchelli was a faithful American and a peerless Dominican priest whose consecration to the saving of souls in Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, and Wisconsin made him not only an architect of churches, but also a builder of men's minds. Just one hundred years ago this spring, Father Samuel laid the foundation of his Sinsinawa Mound College for Boys. This College was the nucleus from which Rosary College was eventually to emerge.

For us, Father Samuel exemplifies the virtues of charity, zeal, piety, modesty, and patience. We join with his other admirers in saying that he was ". . . in every attitude the man of God, his every relation with his fellow-men revealing the spiritual lucidity of his inner soul, his every act sending forth the fire of love that burnt so brightly within him."







The Reverend Frederick E. Klueg, O.P., S.T.Lr.

Sister Mary Peter, O.P., is the President of Rosary College; Sister Mary Aurelia, O.P., is the Dean; Sister Mary Benvenuta, O.P., is Dean of Women; and Sister Mary Gretchen, O.P., is Assistant Dean of Women.

The ideal of the College Administration has always been the perfecting of Catholic young women. This is the traditional Rosary aim and it is the end toward which every activity, religious, scholastic, and social, is directed.



Left to right: Sister M. Aurelia, O.P., Ph. D.; Sister M. Benvenuta, O.P., Ph. D.; Sister M. Peter, O.P., Ph. D.; Sister M. Gretchen, O.P., Ph. D.

## *The Senior Class*

We, the class of 1946, entered Rosary College with a serious realization that our education was a privilege—we were studying while the boys of our generation were fighting on foreign land to preserve the rights that we had always taken as a matter of course.

And now, the first peacetime graduating class in five years leaves these halls of learning to help make a better world and to help maintain the peace for which so many of our boys died.

We implore the aid of Our Lady of the Rosary to give us courage to meet the difficulties that may confront us.



MARY VIRGINIA DOYLE  
Vice-President



AUDREY SMITH  
President



MARY CURRAN  
Secretary-Treasurer



HELEN McGRATH  
Student Government President



ANDERSON, BETTY  
English



BUSH, ANNAMAE  
Economics



CRAPO, JEANNE  
Chemistry



COX, ANNE  
Mathematics

CONSIDINE, JEANNE  
Economics and Spanish

CAMPBELL, ELIZABETH  
English



CREMER, EILEEN  
English



CARMODY, MARY  
English



DENNISTON, MARION  
English



DELANEY, LORRAINE  
English



DOOLEY, MARION  
Speech



DeROSA, MARIE PETRILLO  
Speech



FARINA, MARIE  
Art

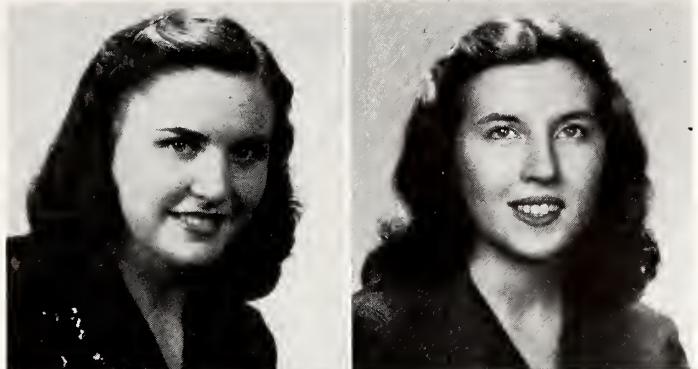


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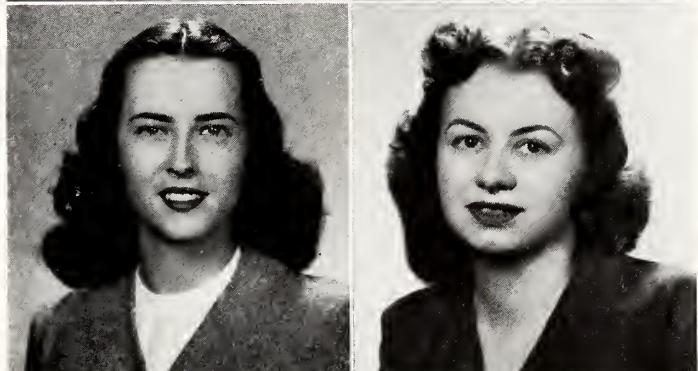
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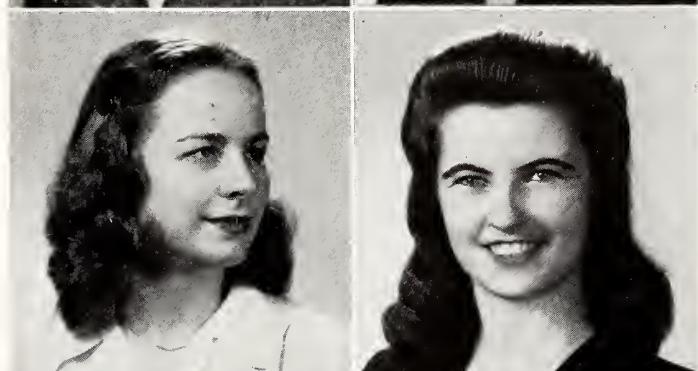
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GALLAGHER, NANCY  
English



GETKE, ROSEMARY  
Economics



GILDER, PHYLLIS  
Sociology



GLADSTONE, MARGARET  
Home Economics



GLOUDEMAN, BETTY  
Spanish and Economics



GRADY, HELENE  
Speech



HENN, KATHLEEN  
Speech



HOPP, BARBARA  
Chemistry

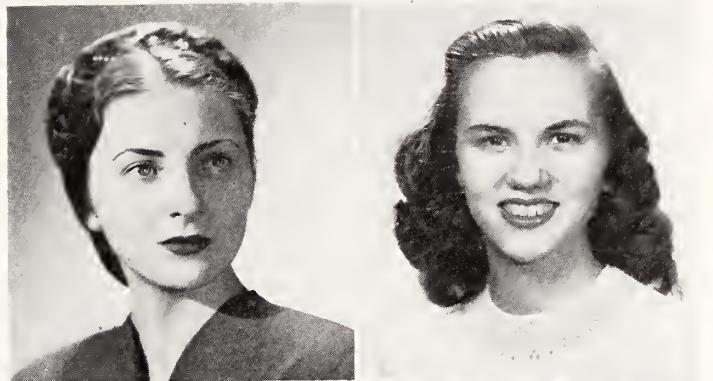


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Economics

HANLEY, GENEVIEVE  
Spanish and French

INGRASSIA, CAMILLA  
Art



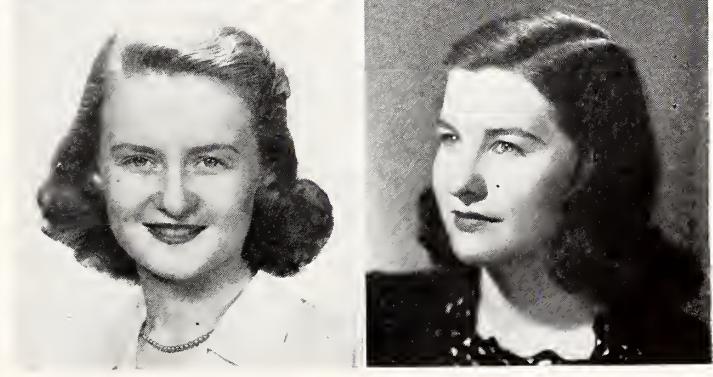
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Sociology



KILEY, MARY IRENE  
Sociology



KELLY, DOROTHY  
Spanish



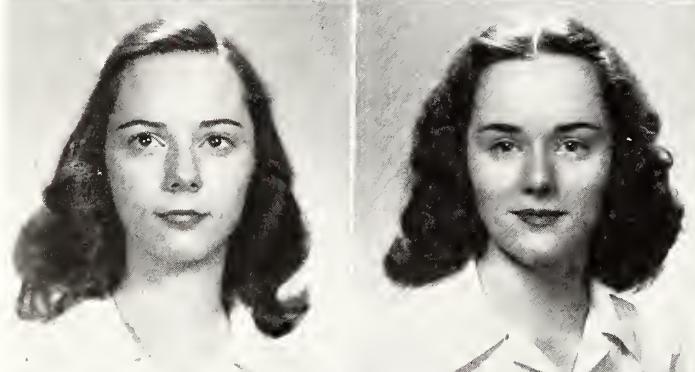
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Sociology



LANDSEA, MARILYN JEAN  
Art



LaMARCHE, RITA MARIE  
Mathematics



LINBERGER, ANN LOUISE  
Economics



LONIER, MARIE EMMA  
Music

MORLEY, JOAN  
Spanish

MORLEY, JUDY  
Sociology

MOLEZZI, KATHRYN MARIE  
Economics

LORD, JACQUELINE MARIE  
History

MULLENBURG, JOAN  
Library Science



MORRISSEY, JEANNE  
Sociology



McDONALD, EDWINA  
Home Economics



McQUAID, BARBARA  
Sociology



O'SHEA, ANN MARIE  
Economics

McELIN, RITA  
Home Economics



PETERSON, LOUELLA  
Home Economics



REARDON, MARIAN  
Speech



RACZKUS, SYLVIA  
Economics

PARR, CONSTANCE  
English



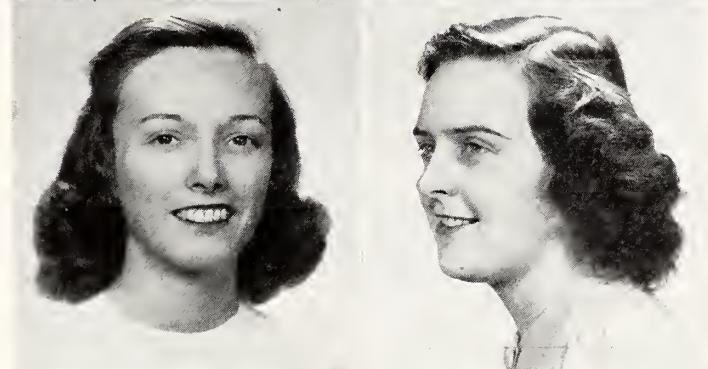
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PETRICK, RITA  
Chemistry

SCHAEFER, MARY LOUISE  
Speech

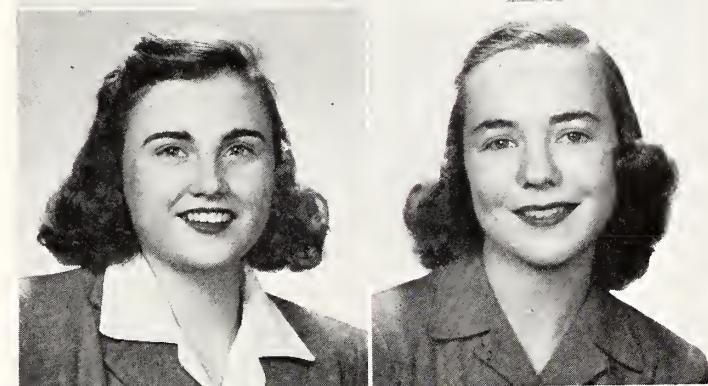


REBOYRAS, IDA  
Home Economics



SHANNON, MARY WINIFRED  
English

RICE, MADELYN  
Spanish



SHEEHAN, PATRICIA MARY  
English

SCHUH, VIRGINIA  
American Studies



SULLIVAN, NOREEN  
Spanish

SHEPANEK, GLORIA ALICE  
Library Science and History



SULLIVAN, MARGARET ANN  
English



SUPAN, PATRICIA  
Chemistry



TOMARAS, KATHRYN  
Home Economics



THORNTON, MAURITA  
Music

TERRIEN, MARCELLA  
English

TRIERWEILER, MARGUERITE  
Mathematics



VERGARA, DELFINA  
Sociology



VALERIO, ANTOINETTE  
English



WALSH, MARY ANN  
English

WATSON, MARY SUZANNE  
Economics

Members of the Senior class not pictured:

Sister M. Andrea, O.S.B.

Sister M. Paulita, C.S.J.

Sister M. Vivian, P.H.J.C.

*Division  
of  
Studies*

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: left to right: Ruth O'Reilly, secretary-treasurer; Rosemary Mulvihill, vice-president; Margaret Bowman, president.



Here they are, the members of the Junior class, overflowing with vim, vigor and mentality. There is never a dull moment for this group because there is too much to do and they are too busy doing it.

In the pages that follow they illustrate a sampling of Rosary's intellectual pursuits.

*featuring*  
**THE JUNIOR CLASS**

The Rosary College chapel



Above: Students teach religion in Oak Park public schools. Seated at desk, Rosemary Cunningham; standing, Joan Cummings.

Below: Students purchase philosophy texts at the college bookstore. Margaret Jane Dougherty, behind counter, helps Marilyn Hinckley, Lucille D'Amore, and Ruthmary Olson.



# RELIGION and PHILOSOPHY

Through a more extensive knowledge of the fine points of her Faith, the Catholic student finds her own spirituality increasing proportionately with her ability to defend her position in spiritual matters. She is enabled to assimilate the fundamentals of Faith and to view them in relation to reason. A presentation of the Church's moral teachings in their bearing upon various aspects of life benefits her in a practical way. Outside the actual classroom, she finds within the school many religious opportunities and services at her disposal.

The integration of religion and philosophy constitutes an over-all view, which is sadly lacking in the modern world. The student learns the powers of the mind, the processes of reasoning, and ethics in correlation with her faith. She is thus provided with an inflexible set of principles in a world which seeks to deny principle.



Philosophy courses occupy an important place in the Rosary curriculum. The Reverend Frederick Klueg, O.P., with a group of Cosmology students, left to right; Winifred Kuhn, Cornelius DeBoer, Patricia Strale, Jean Zuckerman, Jean Manix.



Rosemary Holland leads the recitation of Grace before Meals in the Grill.

# HUMANITIES



Rosary Juniors discuss an English literature assignment in the student lounge. Left to right: Joan Stinson, Marie Walsh, Virginia Idasek, Eileen McDonough, Gloria Friedl.

The Humanities division of studies includes a wide variety of cultural courses. English, Art, French, German, Greek, Italian, Latin, Music, Spanish, and Speech classes are offered to students who plan to make practical use of these subjects in their chosen work and to students who are interested in general human relationships.

The aim of the Humanities Department at Rosary is to aid students in self expression, in adjusting themselves to social life, and to help them develop a deep appreciation of fine arts and varied cultures.



College students spend a large part of their time in the library where they prepare their lessons or select books for leisure reading. Left to right, seated: Elizabeth Barton, Mary McKenzie, Gloria Rino, Ramona Marinelli. Standing: Rose Carey, Irene Carey, Mary Therese Hickey, Carlann Frase.

Rosary girls have an opportunity for all types of musical training. Left to right: Sarah Ellen Beaton, Veronica Hyde, Gertrude Humphrey.



At right: Mary Lou Wilms, Sophomore, models for a group of Junior art students. Left to right: Mary Lou Wilms, Tomasine Conrad, Catherine Jeanne Wilkin, Helen Ryan, Marion Crowley. Below: Lorraine Tarachas works on a still life painting.



One of the most popular major fields is Speech. The young women work at stagecraft as well as at the development of technique. At left: Mr. James Brock, instructor; Joan Donahue, Inez Kuipers, Jean Parazin, Dolores Arnold, Jean Lynch.

# NATURAL SCIENCES



Mathematics courses attract a good portion of each year's class. Marie Walls and Mary Lee Vice work problems at the board while Junior math students direct their attention to the instructor. Left to right: Margaret Arnold, Joan Mahoney, Patricia Kopecky, Marguerite Thompson, Rosemary McNamara, Geraldine Morrissey, Eleanor Anderman, Patricia McGuire.



The students of Rosary College who are interested in the physical world have an opportunity to obtain a major in the natural sciences. Courses in biology, botany, zoology, geology, and physiology are offered in this department. The mathematics department offers courses ranging from intermediate algebra to advanced calculus and differential equations. Those who are concerned with the how much and how many of things, real or imaginary numbers, can satisfy their curiosity by taking advantage of these excellent courses.

The Physics Department draws the scientifically minded. Left to right: Virginia Gramer, Catherine Preignitz, Francella Kresl, Mary Himes.

# and MATH

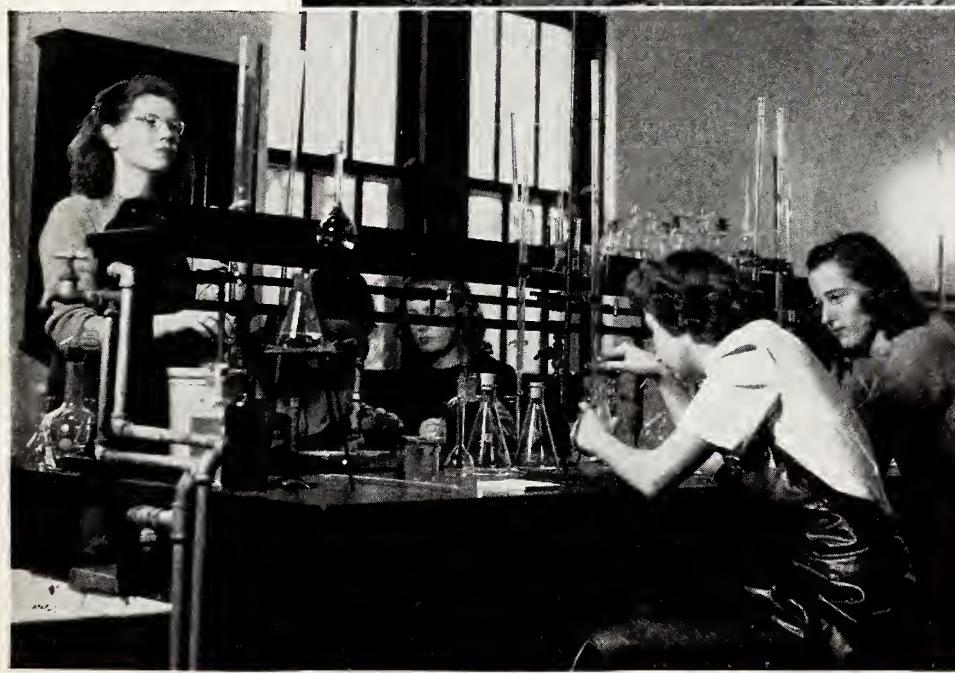
Members of a Food and Cookery class learn the tricks of the culinary art by doing. Left to right: Margie Smith, Margaret Ruesenberg, Rosemarie Brost, Margaret Carroll.



Ann Urbanowski demonstrates her point to a Genetics class with the aid of a blood type chart.



Students in the Home Economics department get practical experience in the care of children through volunteer work in the nursery school. Left to right: Marcella Egan, Marjean Kennedy, and Mary Joan Huber amuse their small charges.



At work in the Chemistry laboratory are, right to left Muriel Wilson, Marion Johannes, Patricia Mellor, Joan Wilson.

# SOCIAL



Above: The Department of Sociology attracts an increasingly large percentage of young women as the field of Christian social work develops. Junior devotees are, left to right, Rita Kortendick, Helen Kluczewski, Florence Weldon, Agnes Ryan, Rosemary Zuk, Lorraine O'Connell, Ruthmary Olson, Margaret Gorman, Mary Joan Weitzel, Helen Bradl, Patricia Nix.



At right: Girls alive to current events sign up for courses in the field of Political Science. Colleen Kelly, standing, and Elizabeth Colterjohn, seated, find timely information for a report.

# SCIENCES

The age of the atomic bomb is stretching its hands in a desperate plea for men and women equipped with a knowledge and understanding of the problems of their time. The world stands at a crucial point. The physical sciences have almost overstepped the mark; and it is up to the social sciences to maintain the balance.

The Atomic Age clamors for historians who know their subject well, and interpret with unbiased minds; economists whose code of ethics is Christian, and who do not lose sight of the individual; political scientists who labor for the good of nations, rather than the good of self; and sociologists with the human qualities necessary to knit together the ravelled threads of shattered lives and broken nations.

Below right: Bulletin board display attracts history students Gertrude McMahon, Betty Wagar, and Dorothy Hume. Below left: Miss Helen Iswolsky, who addressed a general assembly, discusses with Junior girls her topic of French resistance to German occupation—a subject which appealed not only to students of the social sciences, but also to those interested in French and philosophy. Left to right, seated: Miss Iswolsky, Dolores Arnold. Standing: Norma Morris, Mary Ellen Ryan, Mary Catherine Dowd, Janet Nugent.





SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right: Ann Doyle, secretary-treasurer; Maureen McGarr, president; Patricia Somers, vice-president.

Rosary, here are your Sophomores . . . approximately two hundred and twenty, including the chairman of the bond-selling campaign and the queen of the Mardi Gras . . . marching along together through Logic's logical syllogisms, Great Books' greatest books, and Psychology's "orangeness of the orange" and "Georgeness of George."

At the head of the class are Maureen McGarr, president; Patricia Somers, vice-president and Ann Doyle, secretary-treasurer. Under their leadership the dance on November 10, 1945, was successful, and the proceeds were donated to the auditorium fund.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS



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 CENTER ROW: E. Roy, A. Jerry, A. Byrne, M. Dzurus, M. T. Moran, Teresa Kelly, L. Cholod. TOP ROW: M. Barrett, E. O'Hern, G. Harder, N. Russell, P. Neymark, E. Naselli, J. LaPointe.



Middle Picture, left to right: M. C. Ward, E. Keefe, P. O'Neil, M. Aldworth, E. O'Connell, P. O'Neill, Therese Kelly.



Lower Picture, left to right: C. Kuruzovich, L. Maser, M. J. Murray, J. Donnelly, N. Gilray.



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Upper Picture, left to right: FRONT ROW: C. Mullenberg, J. Jaskowski, C. McCarthy, G. Wright, P. Lyons, P. Conley, R. Patterson, J. Cox. CENTER ROW: C. Hanser, S. Schwinn, P. Cooney, M. Notheisen, B. A. Craig, A. Bombenger, M. Dillon. TOP ROW: N. J. Nelson, M. Capizzi, M. J. Bevers, P. Stickney, M. A. Durkin, M. L. Heinz, P. Somers.

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THE VICTORY BOND COMMITTEE. Left to right, seated: Cynthia McCarthy, Marilynn Barrett, Mary Ann Steiner, Joan Grace, chairman; Phyllis Lyons, Nancy Gilray, Therese Maguire. Standing: Jean Jaskowski, Mary Lou Burke, Jeanne Copeland, Patricia Martin, Nancy Nelson, Claire Hanser.  
Not pictured: Joan Bielefeld, Patricia Conley, Juliette Cox, Jeanne Sawyer.

## *Victory Bond Committee*

One of the biggest feathers in the Sophomore cap is the work of the Victory Bond Committee which at the time the SHIELD went to press had secured the purchase of \$160,000 worth of bonds and \$3,000 worth of stamps. The Committee has an exclusively Sophomore membership for the first time since its creation in February, 1942, but it is backing an all-school activity. It hopes to encourage each student to buy enough stamps to fill one stamp book and then to turn it in for a bond.

The Sophomores knew where to turn for inspiration. They adopted the Infant of Prague as the special patron of the Victory Bond Committee and, entreating His help, organized their meticulous plan of operation. As a result, the residence hall has been canvassed by avid committee members every Tuesday night, while the non-residents are accosted four times a week by persistent saleswomen from their Lewis Memorial bond booth.

The most ambitious and fruitful publicity attempt of the Victory Bond Committee was a December bond rally, supervised, "scripted," and successfully executed by Sophomore recruits. A second publicity stunt was carried out after Easter. At that time, breakfast in bed was served by a faculty member to the five girls who bought the largest amount of stamps within a given period of time.







FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: Cleo O'Laughlin, secretary-treasurer; Virginia Dunn, vice-president; Carol Stutz, president.

We are the Class of '49, known as Freshmen to our fellow students. Since entering into our new college life we have worked eagerly for the furthering of our Catholic education.

We've asked the help of Our Lady of the Rosary in our striving to live up to the ideals of the College and to build up the honor of our class. Now with her patronage we've made our mark scholastically and socially. We're most proud of our honor roll material and of our two major activities, the sponsoring of a gala St. Patrick's Day Party and the editing of the spring edition of the ROSARIAN.

Leading the class to the achievement of its goals are three able and popular officers: Carol Stutz, president; Virginia Dunn, vice-president; and Cleo O'Laughlin, secretary-treasurer.

## FRESHMAN CLASS



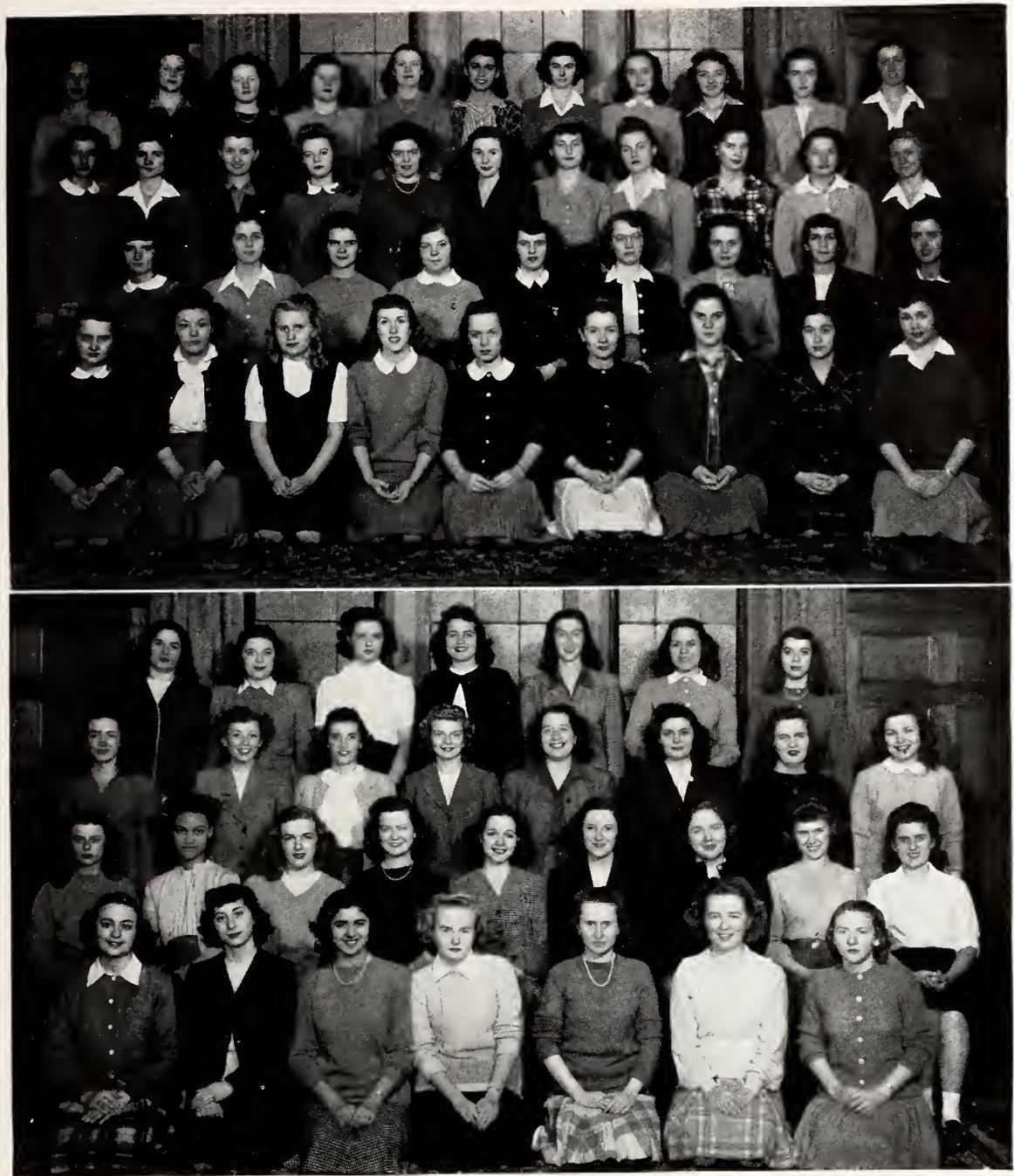
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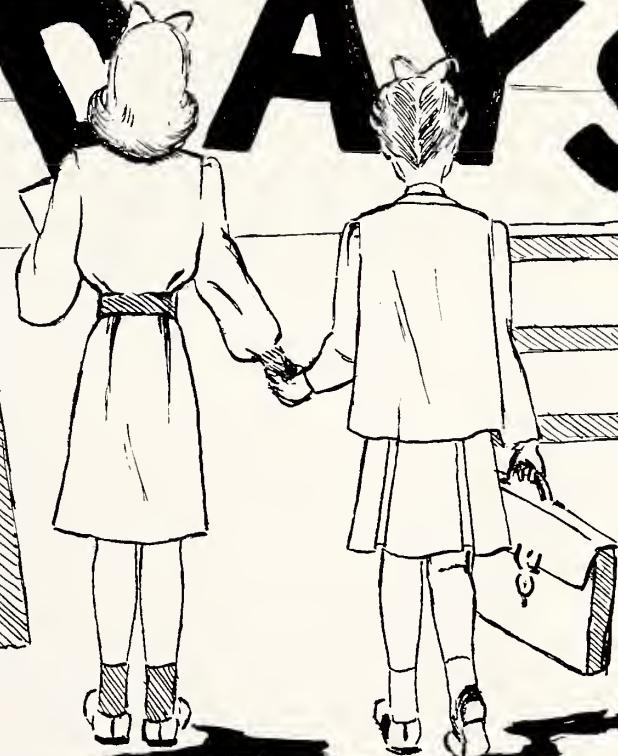


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# RED LETTER DAYS



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Each year Rosary Sunday finds students, alumnae, and guests taking part in the traditional program of the college on this occasion. High Mass, celebrated by the college chaplain, begins the day's activities. Services continue in the afternoon with the recitation of the rosary in the chapel and a sermon by a guest speaker. The ceremony in the chapel is concluded with the blessing of the roses, lighting of the symbolic peace candle, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Alumnae and guests then receive roses and candles and walk in procession to the grotto where the Litany of the Blessed Virgin is recited. The day is brought to a close with a special evening service attended by the resident students, which begins with a procession to the grotto, followed by the recitation of the rosary and the **MEMORARE**, and concluded in the chapel with Benediction and the blessing and distribution of roses.

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Candle light, a smooth floor show, fine food, gay music, and the favorite gentleman for a dinner partner—sounds like a perfect evening, doesn't it? That's exactly what it was!

The annual Father-Daughter dinner given by the Home Economics Club on October 24, will long be remembered for the appropriate welcoming addresses of Sister Peter and Father Klueg, the complete roast turkey dinner, the amusing songs by Corinne Cohan, and the rousing, if slightly off-key, group singing after dinner. When the last baritone note had died away, fathers, daughters, and faculty members attended Benediction in the chapel. Later they returned to the social hall where the students presented their fathers to members of the faculty.

Dad had a "great" time—he said so!



Corinne Cohan  
entertains at banquet.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB OFFICERS. Left to right: Rita McElin, treasurer; Margaret Gladstone, president; Marjean Kennedy, vice-president; Louella Peterson, secretary.



# R E T R E A T

*"The Pause  
That Refreshes . . . "*



Reverend Edward Wieber, S.J.  
Retreat Master

While the polluted stream of mock reality flowed on unchecked outside the walls of Rosary, within, all co-operative souls were being bathed in the revivifying waters of grace.

Prayer, "the pause that refreshes," in the words of the retreat master, Father Edward L. Wieber, S.J., marked the prevailing spirit of the students' retreat on November 1 and 2. For two tranquil days, the whirlpool of everyday trivialities ceased. For two fruitful days, inventory was taken; eternal values were weighed.

Christ was knocking and spiritual ears hearkened. Old themes came alive again with new freshness—the thrilling mystery of the Trinity, God's abounding love for mankind, hope for salvation through Mary. Old promises were renewed.

The end of Retreat saw a spiritual vigor manifest. A world of unbelievers seemed easier to conquer by students who carried away remedies for pettiness and ingratitude. They were ready now to return to the French *devoir* and the test tube. They had been refreshed.



Student prays at Grotto.

# FOUNDER, S D A Y

November fourth is traditionally a day of celebration at Rosary College, for it is the birth date of the Very Reverend Samuel Charles Mazzuchelli, O.P., founder of the congregation of Dominican Sisters at Sinsinawa, Wisconsin.

Father Samuel was an Italian Dominican priest who adopted America as his special field for missionary work. His influence upon those with whom he came in contact was remarkable. He won many converts, both among the heathens and among non-Catholics. His kindness and devotion were a legend among the Indians and settlers of the Illinois-Iowa-Wisconsin region from 1835. Memories of Father Samuel even today retain their vigor in that land.

This year the celebration of Founder's Day was put into the hands of the student body. After a solemn high Mass celebrated by the chaplain, Reverend Frederick Klueg, O.P., Seniors Rita Petrick, Lorraine Delany, Mary Alice Bush, Mary Virginia Doyle, and Corinne Cohan spoke in an all-school assembly on the various and exciting aspects of Father Samuel's life.



Rosary girls assemble in the gymnasium for the Founder's Day program.

Mary Virginia Doyle inspects the Father Mazzuchelli Memorial Exhibit which was held in Lewis Memorial Hall. The exhibit commemorated the venerable Dominican priest out of whose missionary labors Rosary College grew.



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A scene from  
SEVEN MIRRORS.

It has long been a policy of Grex to produce good theater, sometimes in old plays and sometimes in new plays.

THE SEVEN MIRRORS, the first red letter day on Grex Guild's calendar, was an example of experimental theater. In this play an attempt was made to combine the elements of modern theater: color, sound, action and movement. In December was given the traditional Christmas play. Fantasy found its place in the production of CINDERELLA. THE WOEFUL BETROTHAL was an original play patterned after the Commedia Del Arte. The final play of the year was a period play, MOOR BORN, dealing with the tragedy inherent in the life of the Bronte sisters.



OFFICERS OF GREX GUILD. Left to right: Inez Kuipers, secretary; Jean Parazin, treasurer; Corinne Cohan, president; Jean Lynch, vice-president. Not pictured: Marie DeRosa, business manager.

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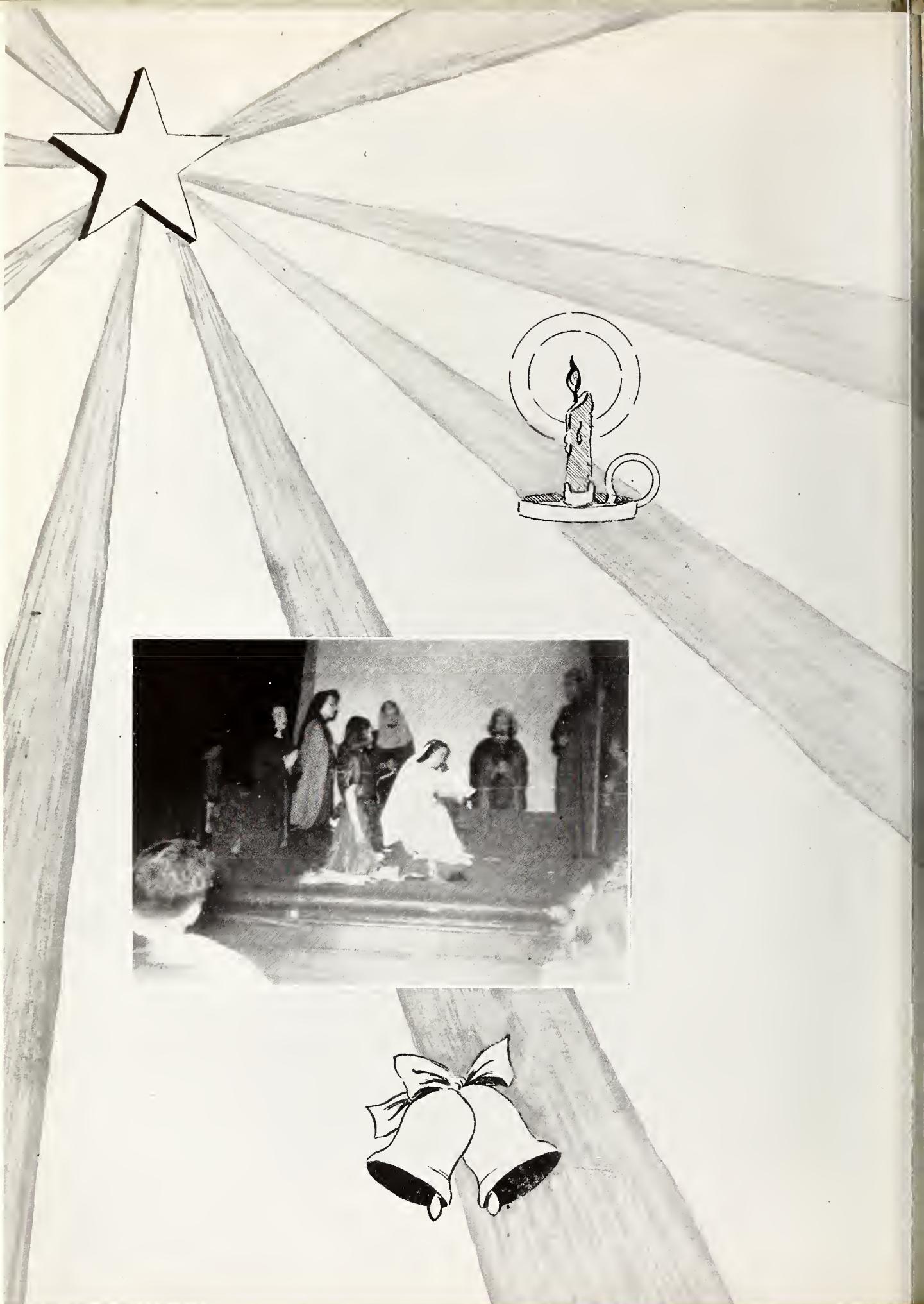
Shortly before Christmas, The Math Club distinguished itself by sponsoring a program for the benefit of the auditorium fund. The Club's guest speaker was Father Thomas P. Cain, O.P., formerly of the University of Santo Tomas, who described the previous Christmas which he spent in the Japanese prison camp, Los Banos, in the Philippine Islands.

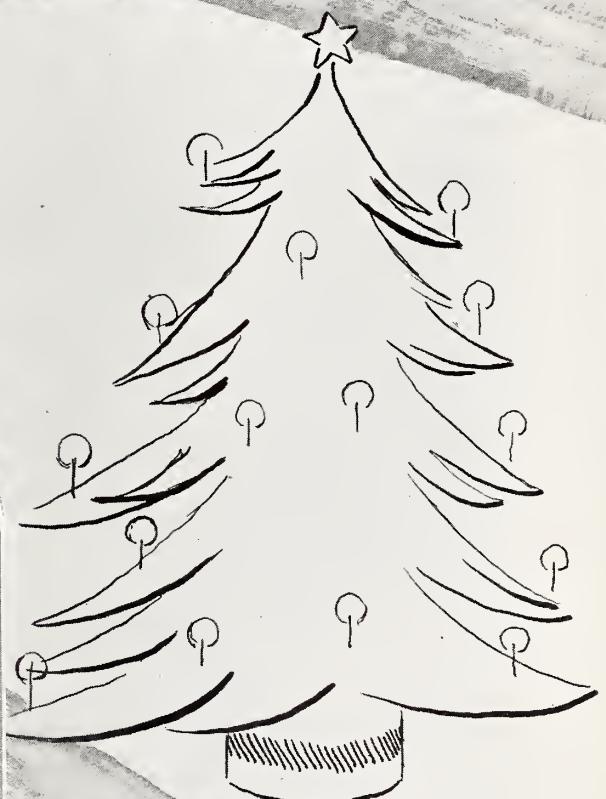


Left to right: Marjorie Weiss, the Reverend Thomas P. Cain O.P., Rita Gleason.

Mathematics Club members, left to right, seated: Anne Cox, president; Marjorie Weiss, Rita Gleason. Standing: Margaret Arnold, Marylee Vice, secretary-treasurer; Rita LaMarche, Patricia Maguire, Marian Johannes. Not pictured: Patricia Kopecky, vice-president.







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The holiday spirit was still evident at Rosary on January 13, when the all-school tea dance was held in the social hall. Student Government sponsored this first social event of the new year.

Student Government officers. Left to right, seated: Evelyn Craig, Madeline Kessler, Judy Morley, secretary; Helen McGrath, president; Rosemary Holland, vice-president; Jean Lynch, Mary Alice Durkin, Corinne Cohan. Standing: Sarah Ellen Beaton, Mary Joan Weitzel, Rosemary Getke, Mary Jeanne Sullivan, Mary McKenzie, Ann Jerry. Not pictured: Mary Lou Burke, treasurer.



SKI  
TRAIN



The annual ski trip was re-established at Rosary on January 31, when thirty-nine seniors boarded the HIAWATHA for a week-end of winter sports at Deer Trail Lodge, Heafford Junction, Wisconsin. Sixteen inches of snow and a very below zero temperature lent zest to the skiing, tobogganing, and skating. ". . . a wonderful time was had by all!"

# March Ball

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## MARDI GRAS



The night of March 5 was a red letter occasion long to be remembered, for on that date Torch, Delta Sigma and Calaruega pooled their interests and came up with a Mardi Gras to surpass all Mardi Gras's.

Everywhere one looked there were fascinating costumes and all types of entertainment. The highpoint of the evening came with the entrance of the queen and her court into the gaily decorated Social Hall. Queen of this night of revelry was Sophomore Grace Wright. Her attendants were Jeanne Crapo, Jeanne Flanagan, Gloria Rino, Marie Walsh, Audrey Brekke, Sue Caron, and Patricia Campbell.



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**St. Thomas Aquinas**  
PATRON of CATHOLIC SCHOOLS  
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THE ANGELIC WARFARE  
CONFRATERNITY

On March 7, Rosary College celebrated the feast day of St. Thomas Aquinas with a special program. The ceremonies began with Mass for the entire school in the College chapel. In honor of the occasion, the Seniors wore cap and gown and marched in procession to the chapel. Father Frederick Klueg, O.P., Rosary's chaplain, officiated at the High Mass, assisted by Father Richard Murphy, O.P., and Father John Gillis, O.P., of the House of Studies. Following the chapel exercises, Father Leo Ward, C.S.C., of Notre Dame University addressed the assembly in the gymnasium on the topic ST. THOMAS AND UNITY. As Father Ward is an outstanding Thomist, his talk was designed to give his audience a clearer understanding of St. Thomas' views.

# SPRING CONCERT



The Rosary Glee Club offers training to those girls who wish to make music their career but it also affords artistic and intellectual culture to those students who are seeking a general education.

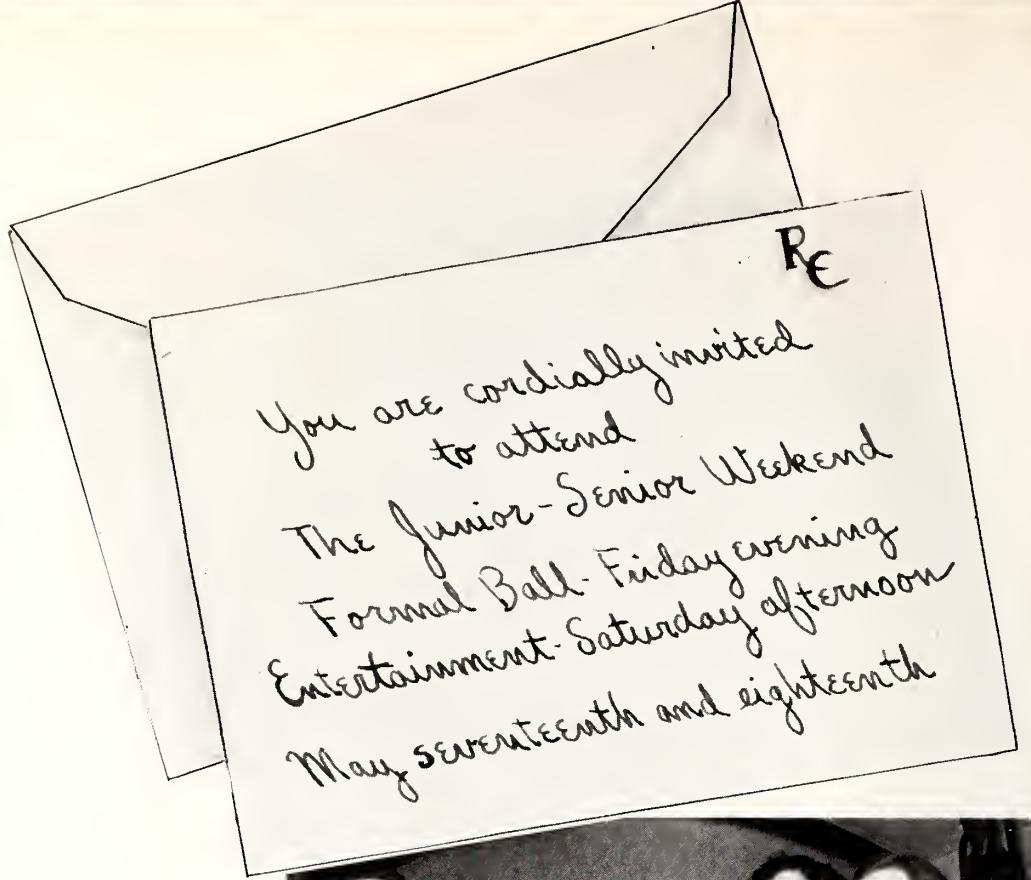
The Glee Club meets twice a week under the baton of Mr. Gregory Konold who returned to Rosary in October, 1945, after service in the armed forces.

During the academic year, the Glee Club participates in the programs for Rosary Sunday, Founder's Day, the Christmas party, the feast of St. Thomas Aquinas, the May Crowning, College Day, the Rose and Candle ceremony and Commencement. However, the most important event of the year is the Spring Concert, traditionally held in May. The program usually includes compositions of representatives of the most important schools of choral music.

The program this year included compositions by Vittoria, Bach and Purcell which were representative of the early schools of choral music. From the modern school there were selections by Gorokoff, Tedesco, and Fine, Fine's THREE CHORUSES FROM "ALICE IN WONDERLAND" being the most modern.

The chorus has elected Mary Schaefer, president; Gertrude Humphrey, vice-president; Rosemary McNamara, secretary; and Rosemary Patterson, treasurer.

JUNIOR  
SENIOR  
WEEKEND



Invitations were mailed to places near and far inviting favored escorts to the Junior-Senior Formal Dance on May 17. This dance which was restricted to upper-classmen was the second formal dance to be held at Rosary since the coming of peace.

The fact that it came so close to their graduation made the event even more gay for the Seniors. For them the dance came as one of the high points of the pre-graduation whirl.

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College Day, 1946, was something very special for Rosarians. It was a day that offered appealing entertainment for all kinds of appetites.

On the morning of April 30, the feast day of St. Catherine of Siena, faculty members and students gathered in the chapel to hear a Solemn High Mass celebrated by our chaplain. Breakfast followed immediately and later four noted visitors addressed a general assembly on current topics and controversial issues. This year separate discussions with the speakers in designated rooms followed the assembly.

The morning portion of the day's activities departed a little from the almost exclusively out-of-doors schedule which usually distinguishes College Day.

Prior to the sports activities of the afternoon, the Home Economics department gave its picnic. Then followed the horse show, the first event of the afternoon's program, which was held at the Sunset Riding Club. Tennis match came next on the schedule. A Faculty dinner for the Seniors concluded the day's activities.

Scenes from College Day, 1945



# A U D I T O R I U M

Building restrictions have delayed breaking of ground for the new Rosary auditorium. Plans are complete, however, and work will begin as soon as conditions permit.

The building will be constructed of Bedford stone. The auditorium will seat 1,250 people. A recital hall, adjacent to the auditorium, will accommodate 200.

The main entrance to the Music Hall section of the building will be from the north. The lawn at the west of Lewis Memorial will be extended farther west and the parking space will be moved beyond it.

A gallery will extend along the north side of the building connecting the recital hall with the music studios occupying the north and west section of the building.

The first floor of the building will house, besides voice studios, a music and drama library with listening rooms for the playing of records. West and south of the stage will be a drama classroom, green room, dressing rooms, and a stage work-shop.

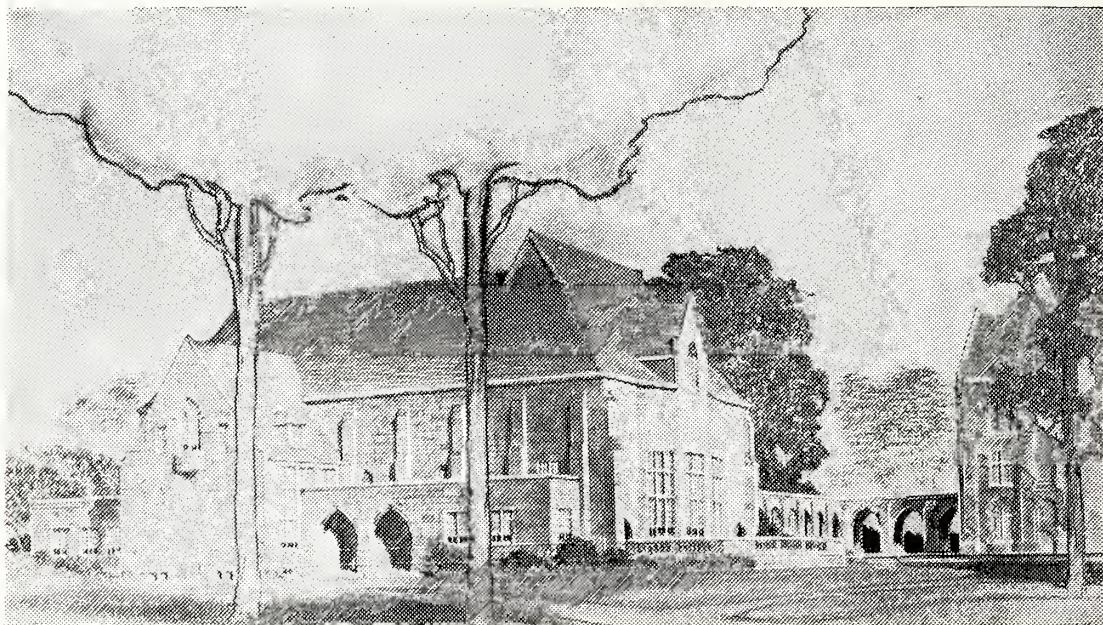
On the second floor studios for music education and piano, and a radio work-shop will be located. The third floor will have studios for violin, music composition, and practice rooms, with more practice rooms being located on the fourth floor.

In the basement a costume work-shop, rehearsal rooms for music ensembles and drama, and dressing-rooms are to be built.

The stage is designed for drama, music, and dancing. An elevator fore-stage may be used either as an orchestra pit or as an apron on the stage.

It is expected that it will be of great use to the community of River Forest as well as to Rosary students, since there is at present no auditorium in the village which can accommodate a large audience.

Architect's sketch of the proposed auditorium



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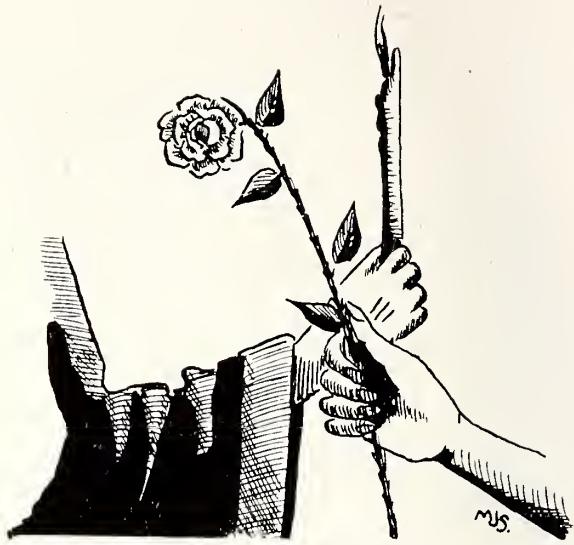
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Traditionally, the first Sunday of May, Rosary girls lift their hearts and minds in special greeting to their patroness and Mother, Mary, Queen of the Rosary.

Joyous songs, processions, incense, flowers reflecting the beauty of Mary, recitation of her Rosary—all are tributes which the earth-children pay to their benefactress in Heaven.

May Queen Jacqueline Lord, prefect of the Sodality, and her attendants, Anne Cox, Margaret Anne Gould, Mary Virginia Doyle, Corinne Cohan, Mary Irene Kiley, and Mary Alice Bush, were accompanied by the Seniors in caps and gowns who placed roses before Our Lady's statue. The simple ceremony was concluded with a sermon and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

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The annual Candle and Rose ceremony of Rosary College is held on the evening before graduation. "When the rose blooms and the candle gleams" the upperclassmen exchange mutual pledges of devotion to their Alma Mater. Just as dusk falls over the east campus, the Juniors, attired in pastel formal dresses, begin to march in colorful procession across the lawn from the south . . . each girl carrying a rose, the symbol of charity. The Seniors, in cap and gown, approach from the north bearing the torch, symbolic of their position as leaders in the school and bearers of truth. As the Senior and Junior lines slowly cross at the center of the lawn, the torch and rose are exchanged. Then the Junior class, in song, accepts the responsibility signified by the torch. The Seniors, answering in song, pledge undying love for their Alma Mater, Rosary. The ceremony ends, just as darkness begins, with the slow recessional of both classes.

# COMMENCEMENT



## ALMA MATER, ROSARY

Four year we leave behind in keeping  
Of you our foster Mother sweet,  
And to this cherished gift we add  
A loving heart placed at your feet.

We also leave you all our memories  
Of laughter we alone could share,  
And friends, we give to your protection,  
And silent hours of student prayer.

Yet though we trust into your hands  
Our years, our love, our memory,  
We find that in the love you offer  
Our gift has been returned by thee.

N. K. G.

*Division  
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Left to right, seated: Marian Rauth, Joan Cummings, Betty Campbell, Mary Alice Bush, Katherine Lepine, Mary Curran, Winifred Kuhn, Margaret Ruesenberg, Mary Frances Enlow. Standing: Rita McElin, Ann O'Shea, Marilyn Landsea. Not pictured: Mary Pitzenberger, Jeanne Crapo, Mary Joan Weitzel.

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# THE GUILD

The Rosary College Guild is composed of all Catholic students—united in the service of Christ. Under the leadership of the prefect, Jacqueline Lord, the Guild stimulates active participation in Catholic affairs by sponsoring programs to further the Christian way of life.

Guild activities during the past year included the annual Christmas tea to collect funds for charity, the drive for European war relief, and monthly discussion meetings.

In addition to these common projects, each class sponsored its individual Guild project. The Seniors, with the Eucharistic Our Lady Academy, planned special religious devotions. The Juniors' interests were focused on Catholic literature, operating through the medium of the Literary Book Nook and the Guild Rental Library. The Sophomores banded together in the Apostolic Academy, collecting money for the missions. The Social Action committee, sponsored by the Freshmen, planned Catholic Action entertainment.

At right, left to right: Rita Najdowski, co-chairman of Apostolic Academy; Marcella Egan, co-chairman of Literature Academy; Jacqueline Lord, prefect; Rosemary Brady, co-chairman of Social Action Academy; Betty Wagar, co-chairman of Literature Academy.



At left, left to right: Kathleen Fitzgerald and Margaret Gladstone, co-chairmen of Eucharistic Our Lady Academy; Marjorie Malay, vice-prefect; Jeanne Considine, treasurer; Phyllis Lyons, co-chairman of Apostolic Academy; Dorothy Rolfs, co-chairman of Social Action Academy; Margaret Anne Sullivan, secretary.

# THEOTOKEION

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Dedicated to the loving care of the Mother of God, the scholastic society of Theotokeion maintains high standards of scholarship and honesty. This organization is an active one composed of honor students who have achieved a 2.5 academic average over a period of three semesters.

During the past school year Theotokeion has sponsored round table discussions evaluating current events and modern trends, and reviewing and criticizing some of the recent "best sellers." The society has also conducted a drive for the scholarship fund.

# SOCIOLOGY - HISTORY



Lower picture. OFFICERS AND GOVERNING BOARD OF THE SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY. Left to right: Helen Bradl, treasurer; Carl Ann Frase and Rosemary Zuk of the Governing Board; Agnes Ryan, assistant secretary; Margaret Gorman of the Governing Board.

Inset. Left to right: Delfina Vergara of the Governing Board; Mary Irene Kiley, secretary; Ilene Grabo, chairman. Not pictured: Margaret Gould, co-chairman.

Upper picture. HISTORY CLUB OFFICERS. Left to right: Alice Horn, president; Jeanne Flanagan, secretary-treasurer.

Formal discussions of subjects in the sociological field are sponsored by the Rosary College Sociological Society with student and guest speakers as leaders. This society strengthens the inner structure of the Department of Sociology by increasing co-operative work among the students and by co-ordinating the work of this department with the work of other departments in the college.

Sponsoring the Current Affairs Forum is one of the most important activities of the History Club. In addition to running the Forum, where guest experts and students discuss current problems, the club holds regular business meetings.

# CHEMISTRY — LIBRARY SCIENCE

Among the new societies organized at Rosary this year is the Library Science Club. Its aim is to foster an intelligent and generous loyalty toward the advancement of the profession of librarianship, particularly among Catholics. Through its activities, it strives to emphasize the value of the contributions of the library.



Chemistry students have formed another of the newer organizations at Rosary in order to increase interest in their field. Called the Albertus Magnus Club in honor of the patron of chemists, the initiation of new members is held on St. Albert's feast day, November 15. Membership is both active and associative. The Albertus Magnus club has sponsored monthly meetings where such topics as the recent contributions of chemistry to medicine were discussed.

Upper picture. The Library Science Club officers are, left to right, Lois Kuhn, secretary; Helen Frances Firth, co-chairman; Reverend A. Kleinschmitt, chairman.  
Lower picture. Chemistry Club officers include, left to right, Rosemary Mulvihill, president; Marguerite Thompson, secretary-treasurer; Patricia Supan, vice-president.

# P U B L I C

Students who have done a prescribed amount of work on the **ROSARIAN**, the monthly newspaper, are members of Delta Sigma. This club, through lectures and discussions with guest speakers, attempts to make its members familiar with journalistic practice. This year's guests included the Reverend Emmett Regan, moderator of the Holy Name Cathedral Book Club, and Kay Daly, fashion editor for the Chicago **HERALD AMERICAN**.



Above: Delta Sigma officers act as hostesses at a social meeting. Left to right: Rosemary McNamara, vice-president; Nancy Gallagher, president; Elizabeth Campbell, secretary.



Above: left to right, seated: Patricia Somers and Nancy McCormick, co-editors of the Rosarian during the second semester; Nancy Gilray, advertising manager. Standing: Nancy Gallagher, make-up editor; Rita McElin, circulation manager; Jeannette Jennings, business manager; Lorraine Delany, editor-in-chief for the first semester.

# A T I O N S



Left to right, seated: Teresa Doyle, art editor; Betty Lou Johnson and Marilyn Hinchey, business managers; Rita Petrick and Eileen Cremer of the editorial board, Winifred Kuhn, associate; Jeanne Crevcuer, business manager.

Standing: Jean Zuckerman, associate; Nancy Nichols and Dorothy Darmstadt, business managers; Mary Alice Bush, associate.

Not pictured: Joan Morley, member of the editorial board; Margaret Gorman and Katherine Lepine, associates.

The Rosary College EAGLE, the literary publication, aims to foster an interest in creative writing among students and to show the public something of the standards and work of the college.

All students are invited to submit articles for publication. Members of the staff form the core of the writers' organization. They, together with contributors, hold meetings to read and to discuss material submitted.

The EAGLE has received all-Catholic rating from the Catholic School Press Association.

# LANGUAGE

## CLUBS



At left: officers of Fleur-de-Lis include, left to right: Mary Catherine Dowd, secretary-treasurer; Helen Bradl, vice-president; Janet Cunningham, president.

Below: Calaruega, the Spanish Club, has elected as its officers for this year, left to right, seated: Noreen Sullivan, vice-president; Joan Morley, president; Jean Considine, program chairman. Standing: Madelyn Rice, secretary; Dorothy Kelly, treasurer; Elizabeth Anne Burbridge, program chairman.

South and Central American students at Rosary represent the countries of Colombia, Puerto Rico and Mexico.



Left to right: Marilyn Abel, vice-president; Anne Bauer, secretary; Marie Walsh, president; Therese Maguire, treasurer; Claire Hanser, social chairman. All are officers of Die Marionetten.



In charge of the Latin Club activities are, left to right, Noel Russell, secretary-treasurer; Margaret Gorman, president; Sheila John Daly, vice-president.



Language students at Rosary find outlets for their interests in the German, French, Spanish, and Latin clubs. Students of "le français" find their niche in Fleur-de-Lis. German enthusiasts enroll in Die Marionetten; Spanish lovers in Calaruega; and Latin students in the newly-organized Latin Club.

Each organization strives to stimulate an interest in and an appreciation of the culture and civilization represented by its particular language. The activities consist of programs in which special emphasis is placed upon active participation of the members, especially in any presentation where the practical use of the language is concerned. Interests range from illustrated lectures to knitting and sewing for each club's "patron country."



Front row, left to right: P. Supan, R. Mulvihill, R. O'Reilly, V. Schuh, S. E. Beaton, treasurer; Judy Morley, secretary; M. V. Doyle, president; W. Kuhn, vice-president; M. P. DeRosa, M. A. Naughton, K. Fitzgerald, B. Gloudeman. Second row: R. McElin, J. Jennings, M. Malay, A. Smith, M. Ruesenberg, J. Crapo, A. Bush, G. Gannon, M. McGarr, H. Grady, C. Cohan, L. Delany, S. Watson, J. Cunningham. Third row: P. Somers, A. Isermann, R. Polanco, M. Carmody, I. Kuipers, E. A. Burbridge, P. Ryan, P. Mellor, J. Lynch, R. Holland, R. McNamara, P. Gildner, H. McGrath, M. Thornton, J. Parazin. Fourth row: R. Olson, G. Hanley, J. Considine, D. Arnold, M. J. Sullivan, Joan Morley, M. Trierweiler, J. Manix, M. A. Durkin.

## T O R C H

Torch, the Rosary Activities Society, requires prospective members to meet the high qualifications which indicate Rosarian ideals: Religion, Leadership, Sportsmanship, and Scholarship.

The beautifully symbolic initiation ceremonies of Torch have become traditional. Candles, lighting the dark recesses of Lewis Memorial Hall and symbolizing the ideals of Torch, are presented to cap-and-gowned candidates, who repeat the pledge to live in accordance with the worthiest standards of Catholic womanhood.

The initiation ceremonies are followed by a buffet supper for all members, and a welcome speech by the Dean.

Torch was organized in 1928, and students may become candidates on the basis of intellectual, recreational, and spiritual interests which are evaluated according to a point system. In the fall of 1945, twenty-three students were initiated into Torch. The Society's activities are arranged to foster the aims for which it stands.

# A T H

The Woman's Athletic Association, popularly known as Ath, is one of the oldest and liveliest organizations in the College. Its activities are colorful and designed not only to appeal to the avid athletes, but also to the sportswomen of the sideline variety. Hayrides in the fall and spring, sleigh rides in the winter, inter-collegiate and intra-mural basketball games, tennis tournaments, and riding exhibitions are sponsored by Ath.

One of the Association's biggest events is the Spring Penny Carnival with its Mardi Gras type of concessions. The proceeds of this year's carnival were given to the auditorium fund.

Aphrodite, a new athletic club, was founded this year for those interested in swimming. Aphrodite sponsored the elaborate Water Ballet which was performed on April 29. The officers of Aphrodite are: Georgeanne Dunne, President; Joan Donahue, Secretary; Colette Barr, Social Chairman.

The final and most-looked-forward-to event on Ath's calendar is the May banquet at which the club initiates its new members and gives its awards for sportsmanship and leadership.



ATH OFFICERS. Left to right: Nancy Nelson, secretary; Claire Hanser, treasurer; Mary Joan Huber, president during the first semester; Rosemary McNamara, vice-president.

Patricia Kopecky was elected to succeed Mary Joan Huber as president for the second semester. It was during her tenure that the Athletic Association sponsored its biggest projects, College Day activities and the Penny Carnival.

## RED CROSS

The enthusiasm with which Rosarians supported their Red Cross organization during war time has not disappeared with the advent of peace. This is readily proved by a swift review of the extensive activities of the Red Cross during the past year, which have included sponsorship of dances at Vaughan General Hospital, ward entertainments at Hines Hospital, and knitting of squares for an afghan presented to Hines Hospital. During the holiday season, candy and boxes of Christmas decorations and wrappings were sent to hospitalized veterans.

The college unit is organized under the Oak Park chapter of the American Red Cross. Here at Rosary, under the chairmanship of Phyllis Gildner, who is in charge of Production, separate committees have been set up, each of which supervises one particular Red Cross activity.

These committees and their chairmen are: Arts and Skills, Mary Jeanne Sullivan; First Aid and Water Safety and Life Saving, Georgeanne Dunne; Accident Prevention, Rosemary Mulvihill; Nutrition, Ruth O'Reilly; Camp and Hospital, Mary Carmody; Junior Red Cross (at Trinity High School), Betty Campbell; War Fund, Marjorie Malay and Patricia Ryan; and Publicity, Jeanne Considine.



Left to right: Theresa Doyle and Rita Petrick giving instructions in handicraft work in the wards at Vaughan General Hospital.



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